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STRAW HATS—We have also just received a good assortment of Straw hats, to sell at real bargain prices. See them!!!

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CARBON TRADING CO.

BOARD OF TRADE MEETINGS SUSPENDED FOR SUMMER

The regular monthly meeting of the Carbon Board of Trade was held in the Municipal hall on Monday evening, President J. A. MacDonald occupying the chair.

The matter of publicity in the Albertan came up and the committee in charge reported that a suitable write-up had been prepared and was awaiting the taking of some photos before this was sent in to the Albertan for publication.

The President reported that an order had been placed for 50 North west Poplar trees and that these would arrive about May 24. The Elks Lodge have asked for fifteen of these trees to plant in front of the school. J. A. MacDonald has spoken for eight and Mr. Castiglione has signified that he will take eight trees. Anyone else wishing these can get same by applying to J. A. MacDonald.

It was reported by the Secretary that a petition for having rural telephone subscribers attached to the Carbon line was drawn up and a committee comprised of the Bank of Montreal, P. Edwards and Dr. McFarlane was appointed to look after the completion of same.

Owing to the lack of business under the control of the Board during the summer months, it was decided to dispense with the meetings of the Board of Trade during the months of June and July.

Among the number attending the dance at Rockyford last Friday night were: Mr. and Mrs. P. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rouleau, Mrs. Keller, Mrs. Wheat, Mrs. Lilja; the misses Phyllis Hephner, E. Pimm, K. Watkins, Daphne and Irene Nash, Leita Gordon, Velma Mackay, Florence Swanberg, Belle Smith; and Messrs. A. Davis, H. MacDonald, Dennis Wilson, Bill Talbot, Gordon and Bruce Ramsay, Geo. Harmanston, Curtis Wiertz, C. Moorhouse, Geo. Oliphant and B. Wright.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Several second hand three furrow disc plows; Mould Board Gang Plows and two 8 ft. double action Bissell Disc Harrows. Alex Reid, Carbon. 3tc

Jas. McLeod is the proud owner of a new Paige car.

A good shower of rain fell in Carbon and district on Saturday afternoon, but most of the farmers had completed their seeding and the rain was what the seed needed. The weather cleared up on Sunday and on Monday those who had not completed their seeding were back on the land and now practically every farmer has his crop in the ground. Many of the fields about Carbon are already green with the new wheat sprouting and everything points to a good year for the farmers.

UNITED CHURCH NOTICE

We desire to call your attention to a decided change in the services conducted by the United Church. The Garrett appointment, by an unanimous vote, decided to withdraw the services at that point and come to Carbon where, for the summer, services will be held at eleven o'clock and for next Sunday the Sunday School will be held immediately at the close at 12 o'clock. Gamble service will be at 2 p.m. as usual.

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FOR SATISFACTORY RESULTS SHIP YOUR CREAM, EGGS & POULTRY TO

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SHOE REPAIR SHOP

I have opened a shoe repair shop in Carbon, (next door to Chronicle Office) and am prepared to do all kinds of shoe repairing and make new shoes.

AUGUST KERBES

THE WHEAT POOL BRINGS ABOUT A NEW CONDITION OF AFFAIRS

Over eight months have passed since the commencement of the crop year on September 1, 1927, and ninety per cent. of the crop has been delivered. The great bulk of non-Pool wheat has left the growers' hands.

Except for those who have not had their grain threshed owing to weather conditions, and the few who held their grain since last harvest, the non-Pool farmers have little concern in the present higher prices for wheat. The "Average closing prices" ever on the lips of the Grain Trade should really be figured during the time the bulk is going on the market. That is from September to April. With very little wheat in non-Pool farmers' hands how can they be benefited by high prices from now on?

Wheat Pool members, on the other hand, have a vital interest in present prices. They have seen their Pool start the crop year under a burden of tremendous wheat supplies, and a handicap of a cloud of "bearish" news. Last fall grain poured in rivers into Winnipeg and Vancouver's facilities were taxed to the limit. Argentine had raised a tremendous crop. Europe's production was up by millions of bushels. The United States' wheat crop was heavy and altogether things did not look too rosy.

The Canadian Pool had a different task on hand and Pool members may have a good excuse for a feeling of elation at the successful manner in which a grave situation was handled by the organization they had created. Pool members are now in a position to participate to an appreciable extent in the rising market prices.

If there was no Wheat Pool in Western Canada what would the situation have been? The bulk of the wheat would be out of the farmers' hands and in the hands of market intermediaries who would reap a very rich profit indeed. The Wheat Pool has changed this situation in a decided fashion. Now Pool members can sit back unworried and feel assured they will get the best year's average price for the product of their labors.

NO ONE IS GOING TO EXTRACT EXTRA-VA-GANT PROFITS FROM POOL WHEAT.

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Western Canada's 1927

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For Humanity!

The world scroll upon which is inscribed the names of men and women who have rendered distinguished service to the cause of humanity contains no name more worthy of such recognition than that of Henri Dunant, the centenary of whose birth in Geneva, Switzerland, was observed throughout the world on May 8th, of this year, and who lived to the ripe old age of 82 years.

What service did Henri Dunant render to mankind entitling him to this honor?

As a young man of 31 years, Dunant, author and philosopher, was traveling for pleasure in the summer of 1859 in Northern Italy, and happened to arrive in the neighborhood of Solferino just at the conclusion of the battle which is known by that name, and which was waged between the Austrians under Francis Joseph II. and the Allied French and Sardinians. The opposing forces were of about equal strength, the total of men engaged being something over 300,000. The armies met in the early morning and fought a sanguinary conflict until about two o'clock in the afternoon, when the Austrians were forced to retire. For so short a battle the losses were large, totalling in killed, wounded, and missing almost 40,000.

Upon such a scene of carnage came Henri Dunant accidentally in the course of his journey for pleasure. Suffering and dying soldiers left on the field filled the air with their cries and groans, but there was no organized care for them. His deepest sympathies stirred for these fellowmen, who but a few hours before were in the pride of health and strength, Henri Dunant organized the neighboring villagers who did what little they could to cope with the gigantic task of ministering to those whose lives might still be saved.

But Henri Dunant did more. The vivid and terrible scenes he had witnessed so impressed themselves upon his mind that a year or two later he published his experiences in a small volume entitled "Un Souvenir de Solferino" (A Remembrance of Solferino), in which he advocated the formation of voluntary organizations to aid the army authorities in carrying out the national obligation of caring for the sick and wounded in future campaigns.

The result was the organization of the great world-wide Red Cross Society.

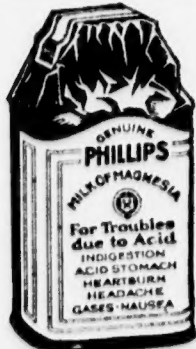
In this day and generation, with the events of the Great World War still fresh in mind, it is unnecessary to attempt any review of this international neutral, humanitarian organization. Sufficient it is to say that probably no other organization in the world's history has a finer record of achievement, or so completely commands the confidence and support of all peoples. The Red Cross flag and insignia is known and respected everywhere as a sign of absolute neutrality among warring nations, and the highest standard of self-sacrificing service to all suffering humanity.

Originated for service to the sick and wounded of armies in time of war, its amazingly efficient organization and outstanding service during the Great War so impressed the statesmen of the world confronted with all the difficulties of after-the-war reconstruction of a well-nigh bankrupt civilization, that the Peace Conference at Versailles unanimously called upon the Red Cross throughout the world to remain organized and active, and undertake a comprehensive peace-time work among the civilian populations.

To the Red Cross, therefore, the creation of Henri Dunant, was accorded the distinction of being the only organization, apart from Governments, recognized in the Covenant of the League of Nations, with the solemn obligation imposed on all nations joining the League to encourage and promote the organization of voluntary national Red Cross Societies, having for their object "the promotion of health, the prevention of disease, and the mitigation of suffering throughout the world."

Today throughout the world, the Red Cross with its tens of millions of members, including all races, languages and creeds, is engaged in its mission of mercy. When Nature in a violent mood brings disaster upon a small community, or a Province, or a whole nation, the Red Cross is the first on the spot. Should an epidemic of disease break out, the Red Cross nurse and voluntary worker, inspired by the heroism and humanitarian ideals of Dunant and Florence Nightingale, are active in the alleviation of suffering. Unceasing, too, is the Red Cross educational campaign in the promotion of health and the prevention of disease. And should war again inflict rankin, the Red Cross will be found better organized and stronger than ever to assume the burden thus imposed upon it.

In the galaxy of the world's great humanitarians, Pasteur, Jenner, Lister, Florence Nightingale, William Booth, Curie, and others, the name of Henri Dunant shines brightly, while the sympathy which prompted his action on the bloody field of Solferino, and the inspiration leading to his conception of a great neutral volunteer organization in the cause of suffering humanity, continues to call forth the most splendid self-denial and service under the banner of the Red Cross.



When Food Sours

About two hours after eating many people suffer from sour stomachs. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been over-stimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

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Textile Plant For Edmonton

Mill At Edmonton Will Convert Western Wool Into Fabrics

The establishment of a plant in Edmonton by the Western Canada Woollen Mills, Ltd., is contemplated during the coming summer, according to an announcement made recently. This project has been under an exhaustive series of technical experiments. The mill production has been scheduled to include a range of fabrics including blankets, light and heavy tweeds, overcoatings, velours, flannels and other types of cloth for which western wool is suited.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS THE HOME DOCTOR

Baby's Own Tablets meet all the need that exists in every home where there are young children. They are a laxative, but do not gripe. They are soothing, but do not contain one particle of opiate or other ingredient that can in any way do the slightest harm to the most delicate child.

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Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Faces Carved On Building

Likenesses Of Men Prominent In Chemical World Appear On New Structure

Faces of living men are carved in stone on the new million-pound building of the Imperial Chemical Industries nearing completion at Westminster Exchange.

One of the faces is that of the head of the concern, Sir Alfred Mond. All the other carvings are said to be excellent likenesses of many men prominent in the chemical world.

The sculpture around the building also includes figures of peacocks, which are said to be there as a symbol of "incorruptibility, following the ancient tradition that the flesh of the peacock is incorruptible."

Nation-Wide Fame.—There is scarcely a corner of this great Dominion where the merits of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil have not been tried and proved. It is one of the world's most efficient remedies for sore throat, lame back and many other ailments arising from inflammation. Rubbed on the skin its healing power is readily absorbed, and it can also be taken internally.

Film Industry In Calgary

Production of the first of a series of British films for use under Great Britain's quota law will be started in Calgary this month, May 1. Local capitalists, including P. Burns and A. E. Cross, are backing the project. Neal Hart will be the director of the first picture, which will be western in its flavor.

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective remedy is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Buying Registered Seed

Saskatchewan Farmers Have Purchased Much More This Year

The Saskatchewan Registered Seed Association advises that farmers throughout the province have purchased more registered seed this year than in any year in the past and that they are becoming more interested in good seed. There has been a heavy movement of tractors from United States points to points in Saskatchewan this spring and the sale of motor trucks has greatly increased. Evidently farmers are becoming more and more interested in mechanical power.

During the war, Germany raised 12,000,000 men.

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Hon. George Scott is to be congratulated upon his appointment as Inspector of Taxation in Saskatchewan. This is an exacting position, but Mr. Scott has many qualifications which would seem to assure that he will measure up to its demands. The new appointee has had wide experience in educational life, in business life, in agricultural life, and in public life. All this will be helpful to him in his new post.

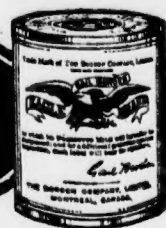
Hon. Mr. Scott will be missed in the Legislative Assembly, where as member for Arm River he rendered conscientious and able service not only in behalf of his constituency but also in behalf of the Province as a whole. Whether as Speaker of the House, or as a private member, he consistently enjoyed the respect and regard of members of all political groups.—Regina Leader.

Heat naturally flows from a hot body to a colder one even in the electric refrigerator.

The promontories on each side of the Strait of Gibraltar are known as the Pillars of Hercules.

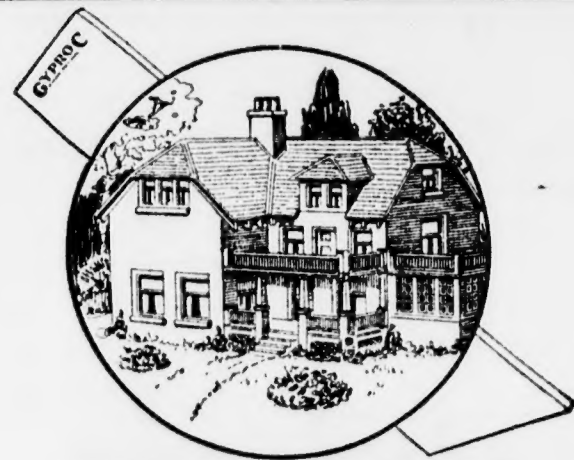
Will Construct Power Plant
Construction of the first unit of a big power plant in the Estevan coal field is announced by the Montreal Engineering Company—a \$750,000 project which will represent the first actual development of power in Saskatchewan by a central generating station for distribution over a wide territory.

for Bottle-fed Babies

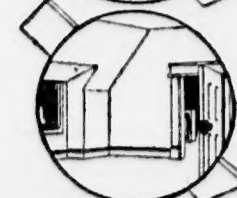
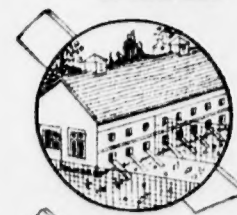


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ED. J. ROULEAU,
Editor and Publisher

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During the Post Office fiscal year 1926-27, over 2,300,000 articles were received at the Dead Letter Office because of insufficient addressing, non-payment of postage, etc. This represents an enormous economic loss, a loss which could have been avoided by a little more care on the part of the senders. A great number of these 2,300,000 articles consisted of circulars and letters from business houses inclined to take pride in their efficiency.

One of the greatest sources of of faulty addressing in the use of inaccurate mailing lists and every business man should keep constantly before his clerks the slogan: "Keep Your Mailing Lists Up To Date."

This is essential not only to prevent waste, but also because of the effect on the addressee of receiving carelessly addressed or otherwise badly prepared pieces of mail. Particular care should be taken to see that the name is correctly spelled, that the full Christian name or initials are used and that no attempt is made to economize in addressing by leaving off any portion of the address. This is a form of economy which is apt to prove a "boomerang" because the effect on the prospective customer of faulty spelling of a name or other indication of slipshod methods is sure to be anything but favorable. If an article is worth mailing it is worth receiving the best of attention in the way of full address, etc. If the addressing is done by a firm's own employees, then the management should see that the lists are kept up to date and that every piece of mail is checked before despatch; if the mailing is undertaken by firms engaged in handling mailing campaigns, then the advertiser should see that his work is given to a reliable concern and not merely to one which quotes the lowest price per 1,000 for addressing. A loss of one or two prospective customers will usually more than off-set any slight saving which might be effected by taking low-priced work.

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1. The colossal smelter at Trail, B.C., the home of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company.
2. Mining class in Vancouver. Note the women prospectors.
3. A typical mining scene at the 400 feet level.

The old mining days of British Columbia, that were as rich in output as in romance, are being revived. There is a new record in mineral production in this most highly mineralized area on the North American continent, in which every conceivable mineral is found. In all phases of mining,—prospecting, development and production; lode mining, placer-mining, and coal-mining,—the current year is witnessing a healthy and vigorous activity.

The largest increases recorded are in lead and zinc, and the province possesses the second greatest lead-zinc mine in the world. Copper, too, shows an increased production, while the every day progress of that great company

the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company in Trail, B.C., reads more like a wonderful romance than a reality.

A most significant feature of the present activity in mining is the way in which many partially developed properties and also prospects which have been lying dormant, are now being developed. Substantial progress has been made in building main trunk motor roads through the provinces, while material aids are being given in the working of mineral properties by assisting in the construction of branch roads to them. New trails are also continually being built to open up newly discovered mineralized areas for the prospector.

The British Columbia Chamber of Mines has been promoting the

welfare of the mining industry for the last thirteen years. The Chamber has on exhibition an interesting collection of the great variety of minerals mined in the province. There is also co-operation with the various prospectors' associations of British Columbia.

Many towns of the province have branch chambers of mines and the classes in mineralogy and geology as well as the mining lectures have been largely attended. It is of interest to learn that there are a few women prospectors attending these lectures as will be seen from the picture. Research work, too, with regard to mineral deposits is carried on continuously by the development branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

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Small Town Papers

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FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE
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(Continued.)

Awards like those, and the others which the association gives annually, are doing a great deal to stimulate country editors to produce better papers. The Brookings Register, in South Dakota, for example, holds the current award for the best front page. That puts the Eastern publishers on their mettle; but it was an Eastern paper, the Graphic, of Newton, Massachusetts, which won first prize in the association's advertising contest, while the News, of Montevideo, Minnesota, took first place as an example of good newspaper production.

These awards are powerful influences for the betterment of the country press, the others agreed, but two or three spoke simultaneously of the schools of journalism as perhaps the most potent factor of all in the progress of the small-town weeklies.

“You didn't think that all this flock of boys and girls who are being graduated every year from the schools of journalism were getting city jobs, did you?” asked Bert Mills, as I expressed surprise. “I don't know just how many there are—somewhere between thirty-five and fifty universities, I believe—which have full-fledged journalism schools. I noticed that Prof. Willard Bleyer, dean of the Wisconsin University school, said the other day that there were more jobs than there are graduates to fill them, and I believe he's right. And many of these schools are concentrating on the problem of the small-town weekly rather than on the daily press. Indiana State, for example, pays almost no attention to daily journalism, but when a boy or girl is graduated there he or she can always find a job on a country weekly. It won't be long now, perhaps in our own time, when the country editor who is not a university graduate will be as rare a bird as the old-time tramp printer is today.”

That turned the talk to the modern counterpart of the tramp printer, the real journeyman, who drifted from town to town and was the main reliance of the old-fashioned country editor. The machine operator—usually a machinist as well as an operator and often an all-round printer as well—has taken his place, they told me. And “he” is often as not a “she.” Gone are the whiskey bottle and the corn-cob pipe, the ribald jest and the odoriferous spittoon which made the old-time country newspaper shop so picturesque and glamorous. It is a ladylike boudoir nowadays by comparison. It was a Nebraska linotype operator, on the Cook Courier, who was crowned Queen of the Johnson County Fair last fall! No tramp printer ever achieved anything like that.

“Gentlemen,” I said when we had got that far, “you have been breaking my heart by degrees ever since we foregathered. You have knocked my lifelong illusions into a cocked hat. You have thrown romance into the hellbox, as it were. You have turned what was once a glorious, irresponsible adventure into a sordid, commercial, efficient, prosperous, money-making business. I can survive those revelations, as I have survived the discovery that Santa Claus and the type house alike are myths. But do not shatter my last remaining link with the romantic memories of rural journalism as I knew it in my youth. Do not, I beg of you, do not tell me that the patent inside is dead!”

My appeal moved them, though not precisely to tears. They hastened to assure me that the patent inside still lives. The patent inside and its younger brother, the boiler plate of beloved memory, are still stand-bys in country newspaper shops. Four or five thousand small-town weeklies still buy their paper stock printed on one side with a variety of news-features, pictures, fiction and the like, calculated to appeal to the rural reader—but with this main difference from the old days: That the editor has the privilege of selecting just what shall be furnished in his ready-print service instead of taking whatever the haughty magnates, who used to demand their money C.O.D. at the express office, choose to send him, advertisements and all. Or he can buy the same sort of material in boiler plate, column-wide stereotyped strips of type metal, pictures and reading matter, which he can put on his own press and print from. And 20 per cent. or more of country weeklies now have their own stereotyping outfit, purchased or leased, with which they can cast their own plates from paper matrices furnished by advertisers or obtained from syndicates which supply not only editorial features, comics, cartoons, fashion and sport services, among others, but also well-designed advertising drawings and borders to enable the country newspaper to give its local merchants as attractive advertising display as one can find in the city papers.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 20

JESUS TEACHING IN THE TEMPLE

Golden Text: “He taught them as one having authority.”—Matthew 7, 29.

Lesson: Mark 12:13-44.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:1-8.

Explanations and Comments

The Captious Question In Regard To Tribute, verses 13-17. The Herodians were a small political party who were partisans of Herod. A few of the Pharisees sympathized with the Herodians, but most Pharisees hated them as cordially as they did the Sadducees, yet they united with Herodians and Sadducees in a plot to snare Jesus. The men whom they sent to Jesus prefaced their remarks by saying that the question they were about to propound was a dangerous one to answer, but they knew that He was not afraid of consequences: “Thou regardest not the person of men, but of a truth teachest the way of God,” they said. Thus would they flatter Him and put Him off His guard.

Then they asked their question, “Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar, or not?” The tribute, literally “census money”—that is, poll tax—was paid by every Jew. It was inquisitorial, followed a careful taking of the census, in which every man was obliged to report his family, his property, and his income, and was extremely odious to the Jews, who counted it a badge of their national degradation. Its payment was resisted by some, especially among the Galileans, not only on political, but also on religious grounds.”—Lyman Abbott.

The Pharisees asked their question with malice of forethought. If Jesus said “Yes,” He would bitterly antagonize the people, and if He said “No,” they could accuse Him of treason to the Roman government. And, indeed, two days later they falsely said to Pilate, “We found this man perverting our nation, and forbidding to give tribute to Caesar.” Luke 23:2.

“Shall we give, or shall we not give?” they put the question plainly. Here was their alternative: pay tribute to a foreign power where emperor worship prevailed, or refuse to pay and remain loyal to God. They thought that whatever answer Jesus made, it would condemn Him. Jesus denied there was an alternative; both were aspects of one duty. He would not teach contempt of the established government and disobedience to law. Nor would he teach disloyalty to God. Jesus well knew their evil intent. He quickly saw through the purpose of their flattering words. “Why make ye trial of Me?” He asked, as He called for a coin, a denarius on which was graven the image and name of Caesar. The coin represented Rome's services to the people governed, as well as Rome's power and authority. “Whose is this image and superscription?” He asked. (A small boy in Australia in telling the story gave a twist: “He asked them to show Him a penny, and when they gave it to Him He said, Whose miserable subscription is this?”)

“Caesar's,” they replied. Then said Jesus, “Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's.” Render, give back; the coin came from Caesar, and they owed him something in return. They were accepting the services of Caesar's government; for these services they must render an equivalent.

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How Much Water Should Baby Get? —A Famous Authority's Rule

By Ruth Brittain



Baby specialists agree nowadays, that during the first six months, babies must have three ounces of fluid per pound of body weight daily. An eight pound baby, for instance, needs twenty-four ounces of fluid. Later on the rule is two ounces of fluid per pound of body weight. The amount of fluid absorbed by a breast fed baby is best determined by weighing him before and after feeding for the whole day; and it is easily calculated for the bottle fed one. Then make up any deficiency with water.

Giving baby sufficient water often relieves his feverish, crying, upset and restless spells. If it doesn't, give him a few drops of Fletcher's Castoria. For these and other ills of babies and children such as colic, cholera, diarrhea, gas on stomach and bowels, constipation, sour stomach, loss of sleep, underweight, etc., leading physicians say there's nothing so effective. It is purely vegetable—the recipe is on the wrapper—and millions of mothers have depended on it in over thirty years of ever increasing use. It regulates baby's bowels, makes him sleep and eat right, enables him to get full nourishment from his food, so he increases in weight as he should. With each package you get a book on Motherhood worth its weight in gold.

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On Kitchener's Favourite Charger



"KIDNAPPED" aboard the old Elder-Dempster liner Mount Royal when the ship was commandeered by His Majesty's forces as a horse transport, during the Boer War, a boy of ten spent two glorious years on the high seas.

The boy is now Frank Daly, District Passenger Agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vancouver, B.C., and his adventure was recalled by old photographs recently unearthed in England.

Memories of Kitchener and of the Boer War are recalled by the discovery of the photographs. The snap-shot on the centershows Mr. Daly at the age of ten years on the back of Kitchener's favourite charger. This was taken on board the S.S. "Mount Royal" of the Elder Dempster Line at Cape Town, South Africa, during the Boer War, when the vessel was

requisitioned by the Government for the transport of horses. The oval on the left shows the boy on the bridge of the ship.

Captain James A. Murry, captain of the ship, is seen holding the horse's head. He was later Commodore-Captain of the "Empress of Britain", and other steamships of the Canadian Pacific fleet, after the Elder Dempster Line was taken over by them. He was killed in the great Halifax explosion during the Great War.

The Boer War involved exciting adventures for the ten year old boy. He was on board as guest of the captain at the time the war broke out, and the vessel was impressed into Government service as a horse transport. They sailed for Cape Town with a load of horses, expecting to return to Liverpool and the regular run

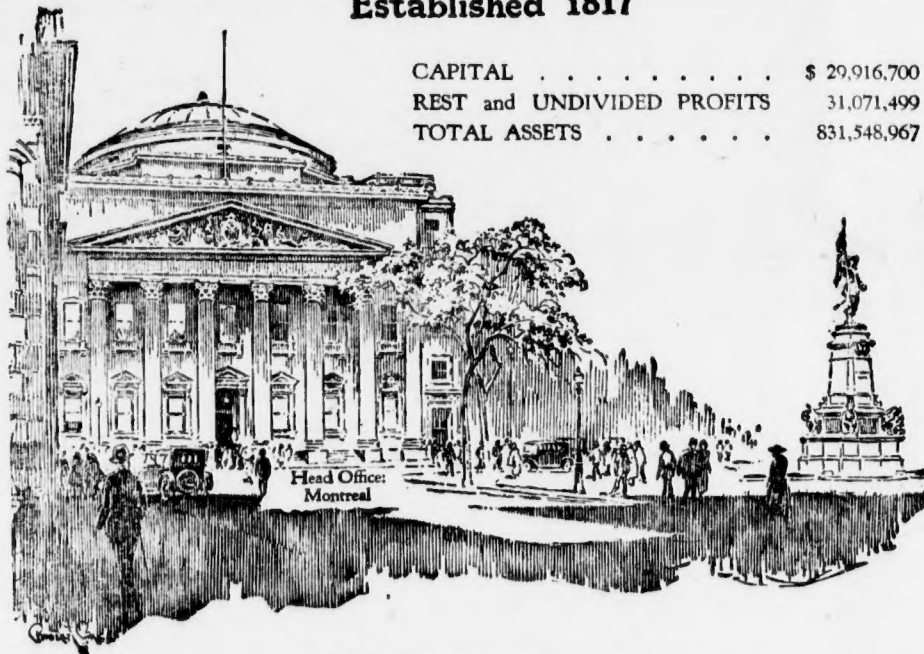
between the British Isles and Canadian ports, after discharging their cargo. The boat was ordered off elsewhere, however, and not until a year and a half had elapsed did the lad return to his home, by that time a seasoned mariner.

On one occasion during the time they were on war service, the men went on strike, and the "Mount Royal" put into Barbados, where the whole crew were placed under arrest, and a black one temporarily substituted. The change was worse than before, however, and the remainder of that voyage to New Orleans was made at a pace of not over six miles per hour.

Mr. Daly has been with the Canadian Pacific Railway twenty-two years, over twenty years of which he has spent in Vancouver.

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LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mrs. Mackay was a Calgary visitor this week, going in on Tuesday.

Rev. E. Williams of High River arrived on Tuesday last and spent a day visiting with his sister, Mrs. Carl Moorhouse, who accompanied him back to Calgary on Thursday.

The white Café has certainly changed its appearance in the past week and it now presents something of a home-like attraction to customers.

Miss Fraser and Dr. Dunbar were Drumheller visitors on Sunday.

Frank Gibson is having an auc-

tion sale at his farm on Tuesday, May 22nd.

S.F. Torrance is having an addition made to his house.

The clean-up day in the park was staged for yesterday afternoon and a number of the more faithful citizens were on the job with rake and hoe and now the park is more presentable to the public.

Geo. Tutt has been busy this spring remodelling his house and the work is now practically completed. The house has been sided and a veranda has been added to the front. Around the yard Mr. Tutt has had a picket fence put up and altogether the improvements are a great asset both to the owner and the Village of Carbon.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

An earthquake in the outlying districts of Rangoon, the severest in Burma for years, has caused widespread damage and several casualties.

Most of the leading dog "mushers" on the continent will compete in The Pas International Derby over a distance of 120 miles on March 13, 14 and 15, inclusive.

Incorporation of the British Columbia Airways, Limited, is announced for the operation of a 15-passenger seaplane service between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle. The service will start shortly.

Five minutes after an armored car had delivered a \$10,000 payroll, three armed robbers held up the office of the Mallory Steamship Company, New York, and escaped in an automobile.

The marshlands that form a great part of the wide valley of the Columbia River, in British Columbia, continue to attract fur farmers. A recent shipment to this area of 32 black and silver foxes as well as a pair of mink shows expanding business.

A despatch to The London Daily Express from Jerusalem says that fifteen Jewish workers were wounded in a riot at Petah Tikvah, the largest Jewish colony in Palestine, which is northeast of Jaffa. Twenty persons were arrested by British police.

Dr. Willis Luther Moore, head of the United States weather bureau for 18 years and honored by many scientific institutions for his work in Meteorology, died at his home in Pasadena, Cal., of heart disease, aged 71 years.

Victor Bruce and his wife, of England, who set out at the Montlhery motordrome, Paris, to break the world's non-stop automobile record, ended their long grind after having driven 15,000 miles in 220 hours, 32 minutes and 54.38 seconds. Their average was 68 miles an hour.

All known Communists were definitely excluded from the ranks of the Quebec branch of the Labor Party of Canada at the eleventh annual convention in Montreal. The convention rejected the application of the Communists for re-affiliation by a vote of 56 to 20.

Consumption Of Alcohol

The per capita consumption of alcoholic spirits in Canada for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1927, was 54 per cent, below that of the average for the past fifty-eight years, statistics issued by the department of national revenue show. The figures disclose that in the past half century the average consumption per annum for each person in Canada is 56 per cent, of one gallon of spirits, but for the fiscal year 1926-27 this consumption was only 32 per cent, of a gallon.

Great Britain now claims all the speed records for aeroplane, submarine, steamship, railway, automobile and motorcycle.

Yokohama, Japan, expects to remove all traces of the earthquake within 18 months.

Many wealthy Chinese, driven from the turbulent regions of China, are buying homes in Shanghai.

More than a million cubic yards of garbage is towed in barges from New York city to sea for dumping monthly.

For every gold brick on the market there is a purchaser born.



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W. N. 17, 1713

Flin Flon Power Site

May Change Site From White Mud Falls To Island Falls

Intimations from the Whitney of New York, have been received at the capital indicating that a change in the power site of the Flin Flon mine may be made from White Mud Falls to Island Falls.

Island Falls are on the Churchill River, considerably closer to the mining property than are the White Mud Falls, on the Nelson, and, it is understood, the Whitney and the Sherritt-Gordon interests, after going into both propositions carefully, are inclined to the view that the former would be the best power site for their development.

The uncertainty of the financiers did not occasion any surprise at Ottawa, as it was known that the White Mud Falls were never definitely decided upon, and, after the government made it clear that certain restrictions would be imposed if the White Mud were developed, the value of this site to the mine owners was distinctly lessened.

Island Falls has a capacity of 55,000 horsepower, which would look after the mining development. White Mud would supply more than 250,000 horsepower, and there would be a large surplus to be sold elsewhere. Originally it is said, the Whitney engineers were of the opinion that there would be no rate control, and that the White Mud offered splendid opportunities as a profit producer. With control of power rates, however, its advantages were very much diminished, and consequently there has been a disposition to turn back to the first site.

It is understood that the Interior Department has asked the Whitney to come to a decision as quickly as possible.



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JAMES DUFF GUILD

who has been appointed assistant to the Agricultural Agent of the Canadian National Railways, for the Western Region, with headquarters at Winnipeg. He is a native of Manitoba and a graduate of Manitoba Agricultural College. Mr. Guild, who has been supervisor of illustration farms, at Brandon, succeeds T. P. Dorlin, who has become superintendent of the railway's colonization work at Saskatoon.

Water As a Lubricant

Better Than Oil For Rubber Bearings Is Claim

A discovery has been made which has caused wide interest in the engineering world. It is claimed that rubber bearings lubricated with plain water can do all that oiled gun-metal or other bearings can do, and that oil for lubrication can be dispensed with. Rubber bearings have now been tested on heavy machines running 5,000 revolutions a minute. A particle of grit simply rolls across the rubber until it is removed by the water, which runs through a fine groove in the bearing. Lubricating oil is used in the machinery in thousands of tons, and some qualities of it are very expensive. The new system, discovered and perfected by two English engineers, may lead to all kinds of changes in high-speed machinery, such as ship's turbines, and so on, bringing about big changes in the running costs.

Sugar From Waste Wood

Sawdust Treated With Acid Makes Substance Suitable For Food

Sugar from waste wood is forecast by a report made recently by Dr. W. R. Ormandy to the Society of Chemical Industry, in England. Dried sawdust is treated in a carefully-designed chemical plant with hydrochloric acid. This treatment converts the substance of the wood into a mixture of sugars, one of which is ordinary glucose, or corn sugar, a material that is perfectly suitable for human food. Not all of the sugar produced by the process is pure enough for food use, although most of it is. The by-product of impure sugar is to be fermented into alcohol, which will be used for motor fuel.

Western Breeder Has Great Triumph



From left to right: Revolution 7th, 1st prize aged bull and senior and Grand Champion Bull; Black Lass, Glencarnock, first prize cow and senior champion female; Edella of Glencarnock, first prize two-year-old heifer; Glencarnock Jessie 9th, first prize junior yearling and junior and grand champion female, at the Chicago International Exposition, 1927. All four animals bred at Glencarnock Stock Farms, Brandon, Man. In the background, from left to right: H. O. Harrison, of Harrison & Ryan, San

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
JANUARY 1

JOHN THE BAPTIST AND JESUS

Golden Text: "He must increase, but I must decrease."—John 3:30.

Lesson: Mark 1:1-13.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 40:3-11.

Explanations and Comments

I. The Title Of the Gospel, verse 1. "This is the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. Our word gospel is compound of the two Anglo-Saxon words god, meaning good, and spel, meaning news. The word as used in the New Testament refers to the message of good tidings, not to one of its first four books, to which it was not applied before the second century. It is the good tidings concerning Jesus the Christ, the Son of God, which Mark begins here to recount. This first verse is Mark's confession of faith.

"Every time Christ is born in a man's heart, the gospel has a new beginning. And every other beginning of the gospel—its beginning in the eternal purpose of God (John), its beginning at Bethlehem (Matthew and Luke), its beginning at the baptism (Mark)—will be of none effect, as far as you and I are concerned, unless it has another beginning in you and me."—J. D. Jones.

II. The Work Of the Forerunner Of Christ, verses 2-8. Verse 2, 3 and 4 are all one sentence, and seven words give their meaning, namely, "Even as it is written, John came." For an account of the parents of John and of his training in the wilderness, turn to the gospel of Luke. Verse 2 is from Malachi 3:1, and is applied in Matthew 11:10 and Luke 7:27 by Jesus Himself to John's mission. Verse 3 is from Isaiah 40:3-5. John the Baptist was God's messenger sent to prepare the way for Jesus the Son of God. He was the voice in the wilderness announcing the coming of the Lord and warning men to be ready. Instead of discouraging upon the material glory of the Messianic period, as was the universal custom, John insisted that there were requirements to be fulfilled, and turned men's thoughts away from the outward and material to the inward and spiritual.

"The revival of religion needed today to prepare for the fuller coming of the Son of Man into our earthly life and to secure that richer baptism of all our relationships in the divine spirit, is a revival strongly ethical and genuinely social, rather than ecclesiastical or emotional. Let the call issue north, south, east and west, for an 'about face' towards righteousness in the common relations of everyday life! 'Then all flesh may see the salvation of God!'"—Charles Reynolds Brown.

Document Too Binding

Too Many Rules For Highland Crofter To Sign

An amusing story of a Highland crofter was told by a member of the Scottish Land Court, at the annual dinner of the Caithness Association. The crofter had arranged with the Government for a loan to build a house. A document containing 22 conditions was sent for signature. The crofter wrote back: "I am sending you back your paper. I will not sign it. Do you think I am going to keep 22 rules for a bit house on earth, when for keeping Ten Commandments God will give me a mansion in the skies?"

Hawaii now boasts one automobile for every 16 persons, while the proportion in the United States is only one to every six.

A Most Dangerous Practice

Some Pessimists Persist In Talking About Next War

The talk about an inevitable European war goes on. A French public man says that the showdown will come in 1935. He makes the interesting suggestion that in another war in Europe, the United States will not be on the same side as Great Britain, the inference being that naval competition has driven a wedge between the affections of these nations.

It would seem that there is a regiment or two of European pessimists, who are bound to drum up another war. They persist in talking it day and night. That is a most dangerous practice. If, instead, their time was occupied as industriously in decrying war, in reminding the people of the last world catastrophe, of the sacrifices and sufferings of the population, of the millions of wounded and mutilated human beings, there would be some expectancy that another war would not come. But if these pessimists of calamity continue to preach their sinister prophecies war is pretty sure to happen. There is a new crop of cannon fodder ready for the harvest. The boys who were seven years of age in 1914, are now twenty, able to carry a rifle, capable of being trained into the tricks of carnage. That seems to be sufficient for certain Europeans who keep the war pot boiling. No doubt the makers of armament are eager for the harvest.

In well-organized, sensible communities the preachers of dangerous doctrines are run out of town. That would appear to be the appropriate treatment of these next-war prophets.

Immense Crane Built For London Railway

Will Automatically Adjust Itself To Adverse Wind Pressure

An immense crane being erected in connection with the Metropolitan Railway's new \$3,750,000 building, is the largest of its kind in the world, and differs entirely from the three-legged type now familiar to Londoners.

It comprises a single "leg" nearly 150 feet in height, and is surrounded by a steel lattice-work jib 100 feet long, while protruding from and running down the centre of the "leg" is a great steel pivot which enables the crane to revolve in a complete circle without difficulty.

A feature of particular interest in connection with the crane is that it is so constructed that when left at night unattended it will automatically rotate, in the manner of a weather vane and so adjust itself to any adverse wind pressure that may arise.

The area covered by the crane is more than 30,000 square feet. It is of English construction throughout and is electrically operated by one man.

Would Retain Party Symbol

Want the Donkey To Symbolize the Democratic Party

A resolution favoring the retention of the donkey as the symbol of the Democratic party "because he is a docile animal, when pleased, but knows how to kick when displeased," was passed by the Democratic auxiliary of Philadelphia, a women's organization.

It was an answer to efforts of the Women's Democratic club which recently voted to urge the substitution of the American Eagle for the donkey.

Unspoiled By Honor

We all may profit by the example of Patrick Fitzgerald, veteran gate watchman at the Proctor and Gamble plant on Staten Island, made a member of that company's board of directors. Mr. Fitzgerald remains unspoiled by the honor. Lesser laurels have turned the heads of thousands of men. Mr. Fitzgerald is proud to remain a good gate watchman deriving his satisfaction from the manifest esteem in which his fellow employees hold him.

A Boon To Children

In the woods near Berlin are a number of "vacation recreation grounds" set aside by the city for the benefit of its children. For the sum of thirty-six cents a week youngsters are transported daily to and from these parks and are given three meals while there.

PEACE NOT AIDED BY WEAKENING BRITISH EMPIRE

London.—Widespread refusal of Britons to bear arms would cause the collapse of the League of Nations and the Locarno Treaties, said Premier Stanley Baldwin in reply to a recent Laborite "Peace letter" signed by 128,770 persons who declared they would refuse to support any government resorting to arms.

The letter was presented to the premier, December 18, by Arthur Ponsonby, Labor member of the House of Commons.

"I share your longing for peace," said Premier Stanley Baldwin in replying to the peace letter.

"God forbid that it again should be disturbed," the premier continued, "but I have yet to learn that the cause of peace would be served by rendering Great Britain impotent. You cannot strengthen the League of Nations by weakening the British Empire. England totally disarmed and an easy prey to hostile forces—can you think of anything more likely to excite cupidity and hostile intention? We should sink to the level of a fifth class power; our colonies would be stripped from us and our commerce would decline."

Further, Premier Baldwin said: "The effectiveness of the Locarno treaties depends very largely on the knowledge of all parties concerned that in the event of an unprovoked attack, the mighty weight of Great Britain would be thrown into the scale against the aggressor. To deprive of us that weight, the treaties would be deprived of nearly all their value; once more in Western Europe would spring up that fear and unrest, that uneasy dread which the treaties have done so much to allay."

"The complaint that has been heard in the League of Nations assembly is not that the armaments of Great Britain are excessive or a menace to the world, but that they are now placed more unreservedly at the disposal of the League for the enforcement of its decrees."

Mission To Canada

Under Secretary Of State For Dominion Affairs To Come Here Next Summer

London.—The Daily News understands that arrangements are being made for Lord Lovat, under secretary of state for Dominion Affairs, to embark next summer on a mission to Canada, New Zealand, Australia, and South Africa, mainly with the object of infusing new life into the empire's migration activities.

Lord Lovat probably will assist in the detailed negotiations in each of the dominions which will follow the departmental discussions on the exploratory enquiries about to be made by Lieut.-Col. L. C. M. S. Amery, secretary of state for Dominion Affairs.

Indian Guide Is Dead

Port Arthur, Ont.—Moses Bouchard, 55, famous as a Nipigon River Indian guide and known to prominent sportsmen all over the country, who have fished the famous stream, died in a hospital here recently. He was one of the principal guides for the Prince of Wales party in 1919. Death was from injuries sustained when struck by a locomotive at Port McDiarmid.

Alcoholic Insanity Increasing

New York. Alcoholic insanity, which has been reported increasing since 1920, again went forward this year, according to statistics of the state department of mental hygiene. Last year there were 422 cases of alcoholic insanity admitted to the state hospitals, or 5.8 per cent. of the total. This year 544 cases, or 7 per cent. of the total, were admitted.

Value Of Building Permits

Ottawa. The value of building permits issued by 63 Canadian cities during November was \$12,949,989. This represents a seasonal decline of \$5,982,169 compared with the October figures but an increase of \$2,873,658 over November.

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Saskatchewan Assembly

Announcement Made The House Will Open About Middle Of January

Regina. The third session of the sixth Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly will open either Tuesday, January 17, or Tuesday, January 24, according to an announcement of Premier J. G. Gardiner.

Premier Gardiner said he had no statement to make regarding outstanding legislation that might be brought down during the session.

When Mr. Speaker, W. G. Robinson (Francis), takes his seat there will be three new members to be introduced to the House, three by-elections having taken place since the assembly rose early in the year. D. M. Robertson, Lawson, who was elected to fill the vacancy for the Morse constituency, caused by the sudden death of W. P. McLachlan, Morse, is one of the new members. The second is W. G. Ross, K.C., Moose Jaw, who was elected to represent Moose Jaw City upon the elevation of W. E. Kuwles, K.C., to the bench. The third newcomer is Hon. George Spence, who returns to the provincial field from the Federal House to represent Maple Creek constituency in succession to P. L. Hyde, who resigned.

None of the three by-elections affected the party standing, which remains at 52 on the Government side of the House and 19 on the Opposition side.

Manitoba University Benefits

Receives Grant Of \$80,000 From The Carnegie Foundation

Winnipeg.—The Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching has voted a sum of \$80,000 to the University of Manitoba, in connection with a pension scheme for members of the university's staff.

It is planned to supplement the pensions of those more than 40 years old now on the staff, provided the university contributes an equal amount to that contributed by members of faculties who enter the pension scheme. The \$80,000 will not be available to the university unless such contribution is made.

The Carnegie foundation was formed in 1905 when Andrew Carnegie gave to a board of trustees \$10,000,000 to be utilized to pension college professors after about 25 years' active service.

Mining Men In Winnipeg

Owners Of Manitoba Mining Properties Visit Western City

Winnipeg.—Halstead Lindsay, president of Sherritt Gordon Mines, Ltd., and Noah A. Timmins, president of Hollinger Consolidated Gold Mines, and an important shareholder in Sherritt Gordon, which owns a big copper property at Cold Lake, 35 miles northeast of Flin Flon, in Northern Manitoba, are now in Winnipeg.

It is believed important developments in connection with the Sherritt Gordon and its relationship to the province have brought the two mining chieftains to Winnipeg. The White Mud power site and the extension of the Flin Flon railway to the Cold Lake property are probably being discussed with the Bracken Government.

New "Sub" Is World Beater

Monster Under-Water Cruiser Being Built In France

Paris. France has laid the keel of the greatest of all submarines, a monster under-water cruiser. It will be 1,000 tons larger than the V-1, which made the United States lead of the depths. The new French submarine will be a 3,000 tonner, a warship which can stay on the surface and match strength with any cruiser or slip under the surface and lay mines or sow destruction among capital ships.

The submarine cruiser, with a crew of 100, has many novel features in her construction, including fuel tanks to enable her to cruise half way across the ocean without rising to the surface.

Receives Degree From Oxford

London.—Dr. Henry Percival Piggar, Canadian chief archivist in Europe has received from Oxford University the degree of Doctor of Literature.

Queen of the Carnival



Miss Emilie Mason, who will reign as queen of the forthcoming Banff Winter Carnival, at Banff, in the Canadian Rockies, during the early part of February, 1928, Miss Mason is a Calgary girl and a devotee of winter sports.

Gave Services For Charity

Ex-Premier Of Queensland Assisted Salvation Army In London

Birmingham, N.Y. Digby Frank Denham, former premier of Queensland, Australia, who is here to investigate industrial conditions, was among members of the "hungry club" led by George F. Johnson, millionaire shoe manufacturer, who, wearing Salvation Army caps and headed by the Salvation Army band, marched to the steps of the county court where they sang carols and old time songs for the benefit of the Salvation Army Christmas dinner fund. More than twelve hundred dollars was collected.

President Coolidge Has Zoo

Washington.—Admirers of President Coolidge have given him enough animals to outfit a small circus. Even the Washington Zoo, at which some of his animals are housed, could not have readily accommodated all that were presented to him in the Black Hills last summer. Those brought to the zoo here include a lion, deer, a pair of bobcats, a peacock, a bear and a wallaby.

Adopts Naval Plans

France Building Boats In Accord With Washington Agreement

Paris. The French naval program for 1927 to 1931, which was stated to be fully in agreement with the Washington accord, was passed by the Chamber of Deputies at a special session. The voting was by a show of hands, the Socialists abstaining.

Before the vote was taken the Socialists announced that the program was "a resumption of the race in heavy tonnage."

Charles Denicourt, who sponsored the bill, declared it was fully in accord with the Washington agreement. The program for 1927, which must be completed before June, 1928, includes one cruiser of 10,000 tons, six destroyers, five submarines of the first class, one submarine mine layer, and two despatch boats.

Lived Like a Bear

Homeless Finnish Boy Discovered In Cave Near Soo

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.—After spending 76 nights and days in a makeshift cave in the dense woods of the Goulais Bay area, Eino Kuusela, 12, a homeless Finnish lad, has been discovered alive and well.

In 20 below zero weather Eino has lived contentedly like a bear in a hole, for more than two months, feeding on turnips filched from the farm which he deserted when conditions, he said, became unbearable.

The lad accused Frank McKaughan, farmer, in whose hands he was placed by the Children's Aid Society, of threatening to kill him. Police have Eino in charge now, while a rigid investigation is going on.

Plane Forced Down

San Francisco, Cal.—After remaining in the air for forty-nine and one-half hours in an attempt to break the world's record for an endurance flight, the tri-motored monoplane "Spirit of California" was forced down at Mills Field here on account of an exhausted fuel supply.

Is Coming To Canada

Wellington, N.Z.—Lieut.-Col. C. M. S. Amery, secretary of state for Dominion Affairs, who is on an Empire tour in his official capacity, and has visited Australia and New Zealand, sailed for Canada on the steamer Aorangi.

SAY U.S. SHIPPERS LABORING UNDER A DISADVANTAGE

New York.—Charges that United States shipping is being discriminated against by Great Britain, Canada, and Australia are contained in a resolution recently forwarded to President Coolidge, heads of Government Departments by the New York Maritime Exchange, which urged that the United States adopt retaliatory measures to safeguard its interests.

The exchange cites Canadian regulations, which require that cargoes destined for Canada must be loaded through Canadian ports and not through United States ports in order to obtain preferential duties, and also sets forth the understanding that cattle shipped from the United States via Canada may remain in England for fattening before being slaughtered, whereas if the cattle are sent from the United States they must be slaughtered immediately on arrival in England.

The state department has already advised the exchange that the nations referred to in the resolution are receiving the careful attention of the department, but that the information in the hands of the department with respect to the shipment of cattle does not agree precisely with that contained in the resolution.

In the resolution adopted at the Maritime Exchange, it was suggested that if the respective governments decline to entertain suitable proposals along the lines suggested, the United States formulate "and place in effect similar regulations in our behalf whereby a surcharge equal to that imposed upon our commerce shall be assessed in addition to the ordinary duty in traffic landed at ports in Canada for destination in the United States."

Canada Our Country

Copper Plaques Will Be Placed In All Schools

Ottawa.—With the co-operation of the various Provincial Governments in Canada, the national committee for the celebration of the diamond jubilee of Confederation are placing a copper plaque suitably framed in every public and separate school building throughout Canada.

The plaque which is attractively designed carries the motto "Canada Our Country" for the English-speaking communities and "Canada Notre Patrie" for the French-Canadian sections.

The provincial Prime Ministers have been asked to arrange for some sort of patriotic unveiling ceremony in connection with placing the plaques in the schools.

Will Represent Canada

Sir Campbell Stuart On Pacific Cable Board Committee

Ottawa.—Sir Campbell Stuart will represent Canada on the committee which has been established to enquire into the affairs of the Pacific Cable Board, of which this country is a member. Great Britain and the Dominions will each nominate a representative and a technical adviser and the committee will meet in London some time in January.

The technical adviser from the Canadian postoffice department has not yet been selected, according to government officials today.

Sun's Rays Cause Explosion

Guatemala City, Guatemala.—The action of the sun's rays is believed to have caused two terrific explosions which have completely destroyed the national acetylene arsenal with the loss of five lives and injury of 11 soldiers. The Guatemalan and American Red Cross sent ambulance and military physicians to care for those injured.

Stole Sacramental Wine

Guelf, Ont. Thieves broke into the St. James Anglican Church here and stole the sacramental wine from a locked cupboard. The whole supply was taken and a container which was partially filled with the wine was also drained of its contents. Nothing else was taken from the church.



Merry Party For Canadian Homes

Waving good bye to their native shores did not seem to depress the spirits of these Scottish girls who sailed from Scotland recently for Canada. They were included in a large group of household workers recruited in Glasgow to be placed in homes throughout the Dominion. They were all smiles over the prospects of their new homes and in anticipation of many experiences that would befall them in the country across the Atlantic of which they had heard so much about.

The photograph was taken as the group were on their way to board the Canadian Pacific liner Montclare.

Canadian Tree Seeds Are Being Successfully Planted In Many Parts of the World

One of the Canadian crops which is not included in the agricultural returns is the annual crop of tree seeds. It may be thought that these are of no value except for natural reproduction in the forest lands and as food for squirrels and chipmunks. That may have once been true but with the increasing need of artificial forestation the world over the demand for hardy and disease-free varieties of tree seeds is becoming increasingly difficult to satisfy. The seeds of Canadian coniferous trees are steadily making a world reputation for themselves, according to the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, and are in as relatively great demand as Canadian seed potatoes, bulbs and cereals, on account of their superior sturdiness and reproductive qualities, as compared with those grown in milder climates.

In this connection it may be interesting to note that already the industry is becoming organized under the auspices of the Forestry Service of the Federal Government. What is said to be the largest tree-seed plant in existence is located in British Columbia at New Westminster, as much as 3 tons of Douglas Fir seed, 6 1/2 tons of yellow pine seed, 2 tons of spruce seed, 1/2 ton of western hemlock seed and 1/4 ton of cedar seed having been harvested and graded in a single season. These seeds are supplied at cost to responsible authorities within the British Empire.

Although Canadian tree seeds are being successfully planted all over the world including extensive areas in the Motherland itself, it must not be forgotten that Canada as one of the greatest of manufacturing countries with respect to wool products is actively beginning to take an interest in replacing her forests. The province of Quebec alone has an official programme for 1928, which will involve the planting of no fewer than 3,000,000 trees. Ontario has also made great strides in the creation of new and permanent forest areas. It is sincerely to be hoped that the leadership of the federal and certain of the provincial governments in this respect will receive every possible measure of public support.

Inspect Turkey Flocks

Take Steps To Raise Status Of Saskatchewan Turkeys

Inspection of turkey flocks in Saskatchewan for the selection of choice breeding stock has been completed by six field representatives of the co-operation and markets branch of the provincial department of agriculture. Several hundred birds were inspected and about 500 banded as approved birds.

A card index system has been inaugurated and each owner's approved birds are listed and as sales are made a new card is made out for the new owner of approved birds.

At the request of W. A. Brown, chief of the federal poultry division, copies of the list of Saskatchewan approved turkeys have been sent to federal poultry promoters in Ontario, Quebec, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Manitoba and Alberta.

"Not only is this work going to raise the status of the Saskatchewan turkey for marketing purposes," said W. Waldron, markets commissioner, "but it is an important step towards building up a very substantial business in the sale of choice breeding stock."

Flocks were inspected at Regina, Davidson, Penzance, Imperial, Richardson, Zeelandia, Laura, Saskatoon, Calvet, Clark's Crossing, Woodrow, Limerick, Amulet, Yeomans, Viscount, Govan, Maple Creek, Wapashoo, Pilot, Birch Hills, Creelman, Frode, Watson, Fillmore, and Tuxford.

She (Indignantly)—"I'd like to see you kiss me again!"
He—"All right. Keep your eyes open this time."

Sue—"So you've just graduated from cooking school?"

Flo—"Yes, I'm a Doctor of Divinity Fudge."

Seed Drill Survey

Room For Improvement In the Preparation Of Grain For Seed Purposes

Results of the seed drill survey made in Saskatchewan this year, and issued recently by Hon. C. M. Hamilton, provincial minister of agriculture, show that out of each ten samples of wheat examined three graded No. 1, four graded No. 2 and three graded rejected. Of oats examined, 16 per cent. graded No. 1 or No. 2, while 16 per cent. went No. 3, and 68 per cent. graded rejected. The lower grade samples in the majority of cases were lowered in grade because of the presence of noxious weeds.

An official of the field crops branch said a comparison of the different makes of cleaning machinery used appeared to indicate that the make of type did not make as much difference as the other factors—the pollution of the seed grain and the man running the mill.

"It is clearly shown," he said, "that many farmers in Saskatchewan are not getting the best possible results from their seed cleaning machinery, perhaps through not having the proper equipment for their mills, or possibly through an inadequate understanding of the best methods of operation. There would appear to be a lot of room for improvement in the preparation of grain for seed purposes."



The youthful frock shown here is one of the newest and smartest styles this season, and will be found suitable for many occasions. The bodice is cut in set on, and each side of the front is slightly gathered and the scalloped lower edge is joined to the two-piece flared skirt. The convertible collar may be worn open, or fastened at the neck, and the long dart-fitted sleeves are finished with band cuffs. No. 1696 is in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 (36 bust) requires 3 yards 53-inch, or 2 1/3 yards 54-inch material. Price 20 cents the pattern.

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London Paper Prints Canadian Supplement

Financial Times Sees Rapid Progress Ahead For Dominion

The Financial Times, London, has undertaken to publish a Canadian supplement every six months for the next three years. The significance of this is notable. It means that this authoritative journal sees a period of great and rapid progress ahead for the Dominion calling for periodical reviews of conditions in addition to the information printed in its regular editions. A staff of travelling correspondents is kept in the country, and it considers market movements important enough to warrant the expense of cable tolls on quotations and special news.

The first supplement has made its appearance, and consists of forty pages, well illustrated and printed on book paper. Its contents include a foreword by Hon. James Macdonald, and articles on agricultural prosperity, banking, British trade, railways, minerals, industries, insurance, investments, shipping, water power, the Provinces, and opportunities for investment.

In his introductory article Mr. R. J. Barrett, managing editor, states that Canada's expansion in the past two decades has been prodigious, surpassing that of any equivalent period of the nineteenth century in the United States. He views the future so favorably that he believes he is doing an Imperial service in keeping the Old Country informed accurately as to events. As to this there can be no questions. It is a service to Canada as well, and one which will be appreciated here. It will provide a consistent, reliable link between the two countries which will mean much to both. Satisfaction will be the greater when it is understood that the editors of The Financial Times gained their inspiration by close first-hand investigation of Canada's potentialities. — Toronto Globe.

No Evidence To Show That The Betting Habit Is Making Any Headway In Canada

Not Affected By Exports

Milk Cows In Canada Increased By 55,000 In Year

There were 55,000 more milk cows and 54,000 more other cattle on Canadian farms when a survey was made in June of this year than there were in the previous June, according to the bureau of statistics. Movements are going on steadily to the States, but the figures show that breeding is keeping fully apace.

Last June there were 3,894,311 milk cows, compared with 3,839,191 a year before, while there were 5,277,927 other cattle compared with 4,731,688 in June, 1926. Horses increased by 23,000, sheep by 120,000, and swine by 340,000.

The main decrease in milk cattle was in Saskatchewan and Alberta. The former declined by 30,000 head of milk yearlings, but increasing 24,000 in milk cows, while Alberta had 26,000 fewer cows and 44,000 milk yearlings. Ranch cattle, however, increased 158,000 in Alberta.

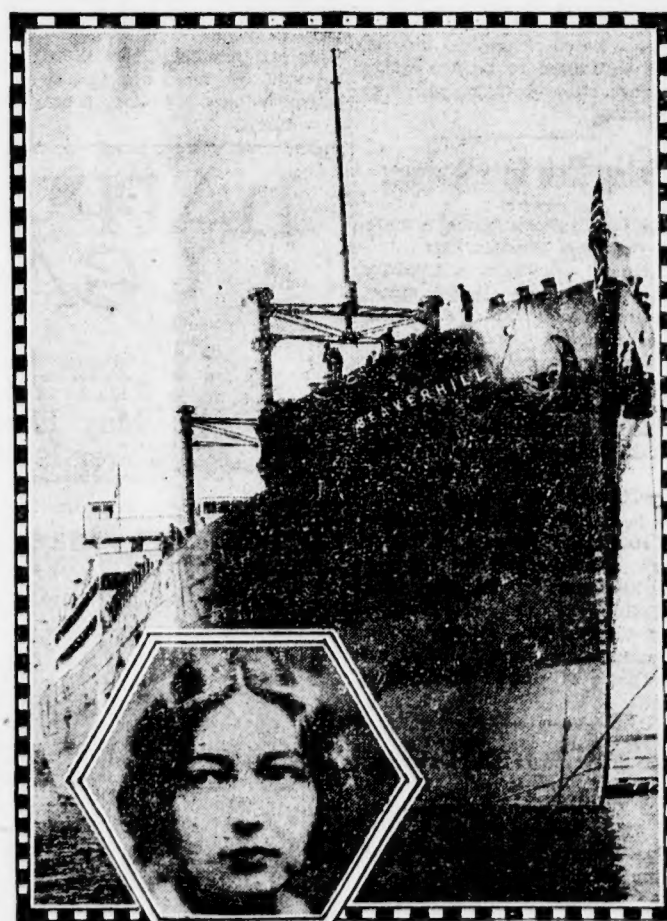
Alberta Sheep Industry

Another shipment of 442 lambs went out of Cardston recently, upon which an average of \$10 per head was realized by the farmers. Several shipments of breeding ewes have been shipped into the district recently and one carload of pure Rambouillet rams. The sheep industry seems to be getting a good foothold in the mixed farming practice of this district.

The Boss—"What's this item on your expense account, 'Overhead expense, \$4'?"

Travelling Salesman—"That was an umbrella I bought."

Express Cargo Steamers For C. P. R.



The fourth of the five 10,000 ton cargo steamers under construction in the Old Country for the Atlantic service of the Canadian Pacific was launched recently from the yards of Messrs. Barclay, Curle and Co., Glasgow. With appropriate ceremonies and in the presence of a large gathering of Canadian Pacific officials, the new ship was christened the "Beaverhill" by Miss Mavis Gilles, (inset) daughter of Captain James Gilles, general manager of the Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd.

When these new steamers are delivered, the Canadian Pacific cargo fleet will be augmented by five of the highest type of express cargo steamers and capable of maintaining a speed of 14 knots an hour, which is

regarded as exceptional for cargo steamers. The marked growth of ocean trade between Great Britain and Canada via the St. Lawrence route, has prompted the Canadian Pacific to augment their freight service to this extent. These vessels will be used to maintain a weekly service between Canadian ports and those in Great Britain and on the Continent.

The new freighter, like her sister ships the Beaverburn, Beaverdale, Beaverford and Beaverbrae, is 520 feet in length, 61 and a half feet in width with a deadweight carrying capacity of approximately 10,000 tons, and load draft of 27 feet; but should a need arise as much as 13,000 tons may be carried on the maximum load draft. The ships will be driven by twin screw.

The Federal Department of Agriculture, which has official supervision of betting on all race tracks in the Dominion, has completed and issued a statistical statement from which it appears that the money wagered on Canadian race tracks during the season just closed amounted to \$17,915,828, as compared with \$44,346,672 wagered last year. There were, in 1927, thirty-four more racing days than in 1926, and \$3,569,156 in added wagers amongst a population which would increase in proportion to the nation's natural growth may not be taken as evidence of a spread of the betting habit amongst the people. Gambling is inherent in the human race, and the propensities are probably inherited more than they are acquired. Whoever is anxious for their eliminations should find a crumb of comfort in the fact that the dispositions do not today lead men into the extravagance of former days. The world is getting better gradually, though appearances may sometimes raise a note of interrogation in this respect. At all events, gambling, through legislative control, and surely through the elevation of moral standards as well, has lost much of its old reprehensible character. Time was when men of quality made betting their most serious occupation. The custom of "pitting" or backing one man to outlive another became so prevalent in Britain that in 1774 a Gambling Act was passed by Parliament prohibiting insurance except when there was an insurable interest. The preamble of this act is to the effect that, "whereas it hath been found by experience that the making of insurance on lives and other events wherein the assured shall have no interest, hath introduced a mischievous kind of gambling, it is necessary to draw a distinction between a contract of life insurance and a wager." The common passion for gambling was such that people would lay wagers on every thing under the sun.

More than one "cause celebre" had origin in "the golden age of wagering." One famous law suit arose out of a bet on the duration of the life of Napoleon Bonaparte. Sir Mark Sykes, discussing with his guests at dinner the danger to which Napoleon was then exposed, said he would take a hundred guineas from anyone present, and would pay him a guinea a day so long as Napoleon lived. This was in the year 1899. One present, the Rev. B. Gilbert, produced a hundred guineas, and as a result reaped a rich return on his "take" until Sir Mark, after paying the exultant cleric about a thousand guineas, resolutely drew in his purse-strings and allowed himself to be sued for breach of contract. The case, according to the records, turned not upon the ethics of gambling, but upon "broad national considerations," and the waging baronet was given judgment on the ground that the bet "created an undue interest in the preservation of the life of a public enemy."—Montreal Gazette.

Phone Operator Is Blind

Woman Trained Hands and Ears As Substitute For Eyes

When Mrs. Clara Raney, telephone operator at Melrose, Ohio, was 28 years old, she found herself becoming blind. Doctors were unable to aid her, but she determined that she would not give up her position.

So she trained her hands and ears to take the place of her eyes, and now at 62, she still is holding the job and hasn't had a vacation in 20 years. Bells have been substituted for the lights on the ordinary switchboard and she never makes a mistake in plugging in a connection. She is on duty from 5 in the morning to 12 at night.

"I haven't any idea when I'll quit," Mrs. Raney says. "I ought to be good for several years yet."

"Did yer husband get the job 'e went after?"

"Naw, 'e went an' yawned just as they wuz goin' ter give it to 'im."

Jake—"I hear your wife is sick. Dangerous, eh?"

Sam—"No, she's too weak to be dangerous."

CLASH BETWEEN JAP TROOPS AND NATIONALISTS

Shanghai.—The Japanese 25th brigade under General Sotoyama, bore the brunt of fighting between the Japanese and Nationalists forces.

General Sotoyama's brigade came into contact with a force of southerners at Kottien, about 15 miles east of Tsinan, and disarmed many of them after stubborn resistance.

When Sotoyama's forces were returning to Tsinan they encountered a powerful force under General Chen Tiao Yuan. Fighting was last reported still in progress with the result unknown.

Chen Tiao Yuan was formerly governor of the province of Anhwei and commanded the three nationalist armies which succeeded in cutting the Shantung railway April 30 at Ningshui.

The Japanese were continuing today their attempts to disarm the nationalists as rapidly as they came in contact with them in the entire Tsinan area. The Mikado's forces had occupied the bridge across the Yellow River at Tsinan and other strategic points.

With the exception of the two encounters with Sotoyama's forces most of the fighting was of a minor nature.

Looking For New President

University Of Alberta Will Seek Strong Man To Fill Vacant Position

Edmonton.—Hon. Perren Baker, minister of education, will leave shortly for points east, on a tour of investigation that will have as its objective the location of likely appointees to the vacant presidency of the University of Alberta.

He will go right across the Dominion, to the Maritime provinces, and may also cross the line into the Eastern and middle states.

It has not even been decided yet that the new university president is to be a Canadian, but other things being equal, the preference will naturally be given to a man Canadian-born or at least Canadian experienced.

Made Chancellor Of Oxford University

Viscount Grey Of Falloden Elected By Acclamation

London.—Viscount Grey, of Falloden, former Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, will be elected by acclamation to the chancellorship of the University of Oxford in succession to the late Viscount Cave. Apart from the gracious gesture to Viscount Grey the decision to elect him without a contest is generally regarded as an indication of the university authorities' desire to separate the chancellorship from its association with politics.

Viscount Grey was foreign secretary from 1905 to 1916.

Arrives In Big Plane

Ottawa.—Captain Alfred Loewenstein, Belgian multi-millionaire, arrived at Lindbergh Field here in his tri-motored monoplane, the largest machine Ottawa has ever seen. Captain Loewenstein and Mrs. Loewenstein were the guests of Premier Mackenzie King at dinner, at Laurier House. He declared emphatically that his visit to the capital was merely a social call.

Italian Naval Program

Rome.—A new Italian naval building programme was announced by Under-Secretary Siriani in the senate recently. Siriani said the new programme complements preceding ones and provides for the construction of two 10,000-ton cruisers, four destroyers, and four submarines, for which contracts will be let this month.

Man Power Plane

New York.—A model aeroplane, the motive power of which is obtained by hand as a boat is rowed, has been demonstrated by Lehman Well, who now plans to construct a man-sized machine on the same theory. The model in test rapidly took the air.

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Would Follow British Plan

United Farmers Of Canada Have Scheme For Co-Operative Stores

Winnipeg.—An elaborate scheme for the organization of co-operative societies on the British model is now being drawn up by the United Farmers of Canada, according to W. M. Thrasher, secretary of the Saskatchewan section of that body. It is hoped to lay the foundation of a system of stores which will ultimately extend all over the West.

The central body in Canada will, it is understood, have the hearty co-operation of the great British Wholesale Co-operative in Manchester, which serves millions of customers in hundreds of stores all over the United Kingdom.

Share capital in small units, Mr. Thrasher stated, will be subscribed to start stores, and safeguards will be erected to prevent any one shareholder from becoming predominant. Though called share capital, the stock to be issued will virtually be debentures in nature, since it will receive only a fixed return on the investment.

May Consult League

Possibility Of China and Japan Submitting Dispute To Geneva

Geneva.—A protest from China to the League of Nations over Japanese military action in Shantung is a possibility, Cheng Loh, Chinese member of the League Council, said to the Associated Press correspondent. He adds he was awaiting instruction from his government at Peking.

Cheng Loh, who is now in Paris, but is coming to Geneva for the meeting of the council in June, said over the telephone that both Northerners and Southerners have the same view concerning the attitude of the Japanese in Shantung. He thought it conceivable that both factions might unite in deciding to submit the dispute to the League of Nations.

Japan's attitude on the question of referring to the League of Nations the dispute is unknown here. The Chinese-Japanese conflict is regarded in Geneva as cutting straight across the Kellogg outlawry of war proposal.

New Road To Coast

Project Roads For Northern British Columbia Country

Victoria, B.C.—A new railway route pass through the mountains from the coast to the Peace River and northern British Columbia country was announced by H. M. Rolston, editor of the Portland Canal News who was here on his way north to Stewart.

"The new pass which has just been located for getting over the Naas and Skeena watersheds to the Finlay basin, is 3,500 feet lower than the original pass mapped under Sir Donald Mann," Mr. Rolston said.

"It will mean a much easier railway route to the coast."

Would Have U.S. Mediate

Suggestion Made That Action Be Taken To Prevent War Between Japan and China

Geneva.—The peace purposes of the League of Nations will be served if Washington should wave a magic wand and prevent war between Japan and China, said a league authority discussing the possibilities of friendly mediation either by the United States Government or by the league.

Geneva circles appear confident that some soothing influence will be exercised to prevent the Chinese-Japanese conflict from growing worse. The league is ready to act if asked.

Alberta Mounted Rifles

Ottawa.—"C" Squadron, 2nd Regiment the Alberta Mounted Rifles at Nanton, has been relocated at High River, Alta., the department of national defence has announced. A regimental badge of revised design has been authorized for the Saskatoon Light Infantry, Saskatoon, Sask.

Governor Leaving Hong Kong

Hong Kong.—Sir Cecil Clementi, Governor of Hong Kong, has left for England. He is returning via Canada. Sir Cecil Clementi has been governor of Hong Kong since 1925, and has been in public service in China for many years.

PROMINENT FINANCIER



Alfred Loewenstein, financier, now in Canada, who, representing one-third of the ordinary stock of the company, is reported to be seeking to obtain control of Brazilian Traction Co., one of the world's largest public utilities.

Passports Required For Short Vacation

Week-End Tickets To Europe Cost Britishers \$10.00 Extra

London.—The British Easter holiday crowd of "trippers" to the Continent was thrown into consternation by being required to pay \$10 extra for their annual spring outing abroad—for the first time since the war passports were required.

Since 1919 a special facility had been in force under which persons were allowed to buy week-end tickets to certain French and Belgian ports, available from Friday to Tuesday, which allowed the holders to travel without a passport. Henceforth passports will be required.

Persons who enquired at the French consulate-general in London, learned that the British authorities had never consented to grant a reciprocal advantage to French and Belgian nationals, and the French Government now intended to make the abuse of this facility by one individual an occasion for withdrawing it altogether.

Says Alberta Bill Is Given Support

Hon. C. A. Dunning Has Every Hope That It Will Pass

Edmonton.—Hon. Charles Dunning, Federal Minister of Railways, telegraphed Premier Brownlee in reply to the latter's request for co-operation in getting the Northern Railways extension through the house that he has every hope of the bill passing. The Government has done everything possible, he says, to facilitate it and extra time has been given private bills after the House had unanimously agreed that Government business should take precedence. Mr. Dunning adds that talking-out tactics on private bills have become very prevalent during the present session.



British Boys Study Agriculture

The above shows a splendid group of British Public and Secondary school students who have just arrived at the Macdonald Agricultural College. Recruited by the Department of Colonization and Development of the Canadian Pacific Railway, these young men will pursue a two years' course at the College. During the summer months they will work on farms where places have been selected for them. On completion of their studies they will engage in various branches of Canadian agricultural

New Money For Ireland

London Mint Is Striking Coins For Free State

Dublin, Ireland.—A few months hence the people of the Irish Free State will begin to handle new coins intended to displace British coins in local circulation. The contract for minting was given to the London Mint, which has submitted Dublin the first striking and now will proceed with production, beginning with silver coins.

The new coins will be of the same value as British coins up to half-crowns, and no higher denomination will be coined at present. Provision has been made for a proportion of silver higher than that in British coins, in order to counteract any possible suspicion of the new coinage. The sixpence and the threepenny piece will be of nickel, the new threepenny piece being of the size of the British silver sixpence, but without any milling. Bronze coins also are being struck, but it will take a little longer to substitute these for the corresponding British coins.

Urge Acceptance Of Canadian Currency

Washington Asked To Sanction Its Use In U.S. Centres

Ottawa.—The Journal in an editorial says:

"Due to a letter addressed by A. H. Jarvis, of Ottawa, to the United States consul-general here, steps have been taken by the State Department at Washington, which may result in the future acceptance of Canadian currency at all centres across the line.

"Hesitation on this score on the part of Americans in many districts has long been a source of inconvenience and annoyance to Canadian visitors to the U.S. Although we are Uncle Sam's best customer and despite the fact that the American dollar is accepted without question over here, there are many places and business houses and hotels across the border where the Canadian dollar is no more regarded than if it were the paper of Soviet Russia."

British Bankers Worried

Over Flood Of American Capital Which Is Entering Canada

London, Ont.—Grave fears are entertained by British bankers concerning the flood of American money which is entering Canada, according to Major Hume Cronyn, London financier, who has just returned from a trip to England and the Riviera.

"It is impossible for us to secure money in England for anything like the rates at which we can secure it here," said Major Cronyn. "This is due largely to the interest of the U.S. in Canadian securities. The result is that British capital is naturally prevented from coming in to any great extent and the fear is felt in Britain that the new alignment of money power in Canada will have a bearing on the future relations of the Empire. I heard this referred to in England as a menace."

SASKATCHEWAN OLD AGE PENSION PLAN OPERATIVE

Ottawa.—Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Labor, signed on behalf of the Dominion Government the agreement with the Province of Saskatchewan for old age pensions.

The cabinet had passed orders-in-council authorizing Mr. Heenan to sign the agreement and endorsing the plan of administration proposed by the province.

The agreement was signed on behalf of the province by Hon. C. M. Hamilton, Provincial Minister of Agriculture, under whose jurisdiction the pensions scheme will be operated by the Child Protection Bureau.

The signing by Mr. Heenan was witnessed by Premier King and a number of his colleagues from Saskatchewan.

British Columbia has been paying old age pensions since last September and had disbursed about \$260,000 to the end of March, the Federal Government having re-imbursed the province for half this amount.

Saskatchewan will be the second province to actually begin old age pension payments.

Manitoba has passed the necessary legislation to take advantage of the Dominion Act, and it is more than likely that payments will begin there some time during the summer.

It is expected that an agreement with the Yukon will be made very soon.

Plan Meets Opposition

British House Discusses Cold Storage For Imported Meat

London.—Speaking for the government in the House of Lords, Lord Stradbroke, minister of agriculture, promised most carefully to consider a suggestion that all refrigerated meat imported into Great Britain from countries where the foot and mouth disease is prevalent should be placed in cold storage at the port of landing for three weeks.

Lord Kysant, in opposing the suggestion, pointed out that 2,048,000 tons of meat were consumed in Britain in 1927, of which 925,000 tons were imported chilled beef of a quality almost equal to the best home-killed beef. In order to secure imported meat in a satisfactory condition, however, it should be available in Britain within 21 days after being shipped.

If chilled meat had to go into cold storage for three weeks on arrival, he said, its value would be considerably reduced as it would have to be frozen. The result would be that the importation of chilled meat would cease and nearly half the people of Great Britain would have to consume frozen meat of an inferior quality and pay a higher price for it than they did at present.

To Speed Mail Delivery

Cunard Steamship Line May Use Airplanes For This Purpose

Montreal.—To further speed up delivery of mail from the British Isles for Canada, it is understood that the Cunard Line in Liverpool have been considering a scheme whereby their ships to the St. Lawrence will each carry an aeroplane to be released when the Gulf of St. Lawrence is reached, the plane to take important mail either to Rimouski or to Quebec.

Officials here state they know nothing definite of the scheme yet, but say that is quite feasible, as it is occasionally being carried out by ships on the New York service.

At present there is complete air mail chain from Rimouski to Toronto, operated by the postal department.

Amend Criminal Code

Ottawa.—The senate rejected the House of Commons bill amending section 98 of the criminal code by a vote of 32 to 22. This section makes it unlawful for any person or association to advocate the employment of force to bring about changes in the governmental, industrial or economic conditions of the country, and gives certain powers to public officers to deal with violations of the act.

New Developments In Method Of Harvesting And Threshing Will Revolutionize Farming

More marked progress in the development of methods of harvesting and threshing grain applicable to the prairies of Western Canada has been made in the past two or three years than in the previous half century since the first stream of settlers crossed the Red River. The new methods of combined reaping and threshing are resulting in great economies in labor and money. When first introduced the combine or reaper-thresher was considered to have limited applicability and that principally to the drier sections of the country. Nevertheless the number of these machines in use has increased very greatly and they are spreading over a much broader area than was thought possible.

A supplementary machine introduced on the prairies for the first time last year, says the Department of the Interior, through its Natural Resources Intelligence Service, is expected to further extend the field for direct harvesting and threshing without the need for the expensive and time-consuming operation of stockpiling the grain. The new windrow method is calculated to advance materially the time at which harvesting can be commenced as compared with the combine alone. In fact it is claimed by those who have tried it that cutting can be commenced as soon as with the binder. The feature of the new machine is that the stubble is cut high and slightly turned over forming a shelf on which the grain is laid out in windrows to dry. With the air currents passing underneath curing is rapidly effected. In two to four days of good drying weather the grain is ready for threshing and with a pick-up attachment the combine is then used to finish the operation, delivering the threshed grain to the tank wagon. Later in the harvesting season the grain in other fields may become sufficiently matured for direct combining without first windrowing.

The windrow machine it is claimed has removed all the disadvantages of the combine. If so the new methods may be expected to quickly spread across the prairies and revolutionize the harvesting of grain in Western Canada. Nowhere in the world is there land more suitable to large scale methods of harvesting and the resultant economies may be expected to further enhance Canada's position as the premier wheat exporting country of the world.

Vancouver Island Strawberries

An Exceptionally Heavy Crop To Be Gathered This Year

A heavy crop of strawberries is in prospect on Vancouver Island, B.C., this year. A press despatch from Vancouver states. The Gordon Head and Keating crop is expected to pour hundreds of thousands of dollars into the farmers of Saanich this summer as a reward of persistent adherence to modern cultivation and weevil control methods. While the acreage planted to strawberries shows substantial increase, anticipations of a bonanza crop rest chiefly upon the remarkable condition of the plants, which are in better shape than has been known for many years.

Alexander the Great died of a fever in Babylon in the year 323.



"Who is the man you greeted?"
"The second husband of my first wife."—Journal Amusant, Paris.

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TALENTED CANADIAN SINGER



Isabelle Barnada, the talented young Vancouver singer, who is being acclaimed both in England and in France for her ability, is to be presented at court by Hon. Mrs. Peter Larkin, wife of the Canadian High Commissioner in London.



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Lustrous golden brown crepe satin combines with wrong side of fabric in a charming dress, with the outside front plaited at waist line and tied in a sash. Wool crepe, printed and plain crepe, two tones of silk crepe, georgette crepe and lightweight woollen with silk crepe are also fashionable for design No. 813. Patterns can be had in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34 and 36 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards of 40-inch material with 1 1/2 yards of 22-inch contrasting and 1 1/2 yards of 27-inch lining. Price 25 cents the pattern.

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A "mechanical man" that plays chess and automatically responds to the moves made by its human opponent has been invented by a Spanish mathematician.

Boy World Explorer



That bright-eyed goddess Adventure of whom everyone from the youngest to the oldest has dreamed has beckoned to Russell Dickson, a Winnipeg boy, and will lead him on an adventurous path around the world. He has been chosen by Lowell Thomas, world-famed explorer and lecturer, to go with him as secretary of his next expedition into the jungles of Africa, to the South Sea Islands and into practically every corner of the globe.

Dixon, who is 20 years of age, has been employed for the past three years in the offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg. When Lowell Thomas was lecturing in the city and made a statement to the press that he was looking for a Canadian boy to go with him in December, Russell got busy and landed the job, that will mean a year or so of rare adventure. First class shorthand knowledge, and an aptitude for photography and mechanics were some of the most important requirements for the position. Satisfying Thomas along these lines, an agreement was reached.

The fortunate Winnipegger will, next month, leave the Press Department of the Company where he has been employed, and join Mr. Thomas at his home in the Berkshire Hills. From this point the start will be made about December on the great adventure that will carry him into many of the little-known corners of the globe.

Developing Tar Sands Deposits

The Hudson's Bay-Marland Oil Company has made application for exclusive rights to prospect a very large area in the Alberta tar sands region in Northeastern Alberta. Negotiations are now in progress between representatives of the company and the Federal Government. This company will this year spend \$50,000 in the erection of plants for the extraction of oil from the sands.

BRITAIN'S HIGH COMMISSIONER TO CANADA



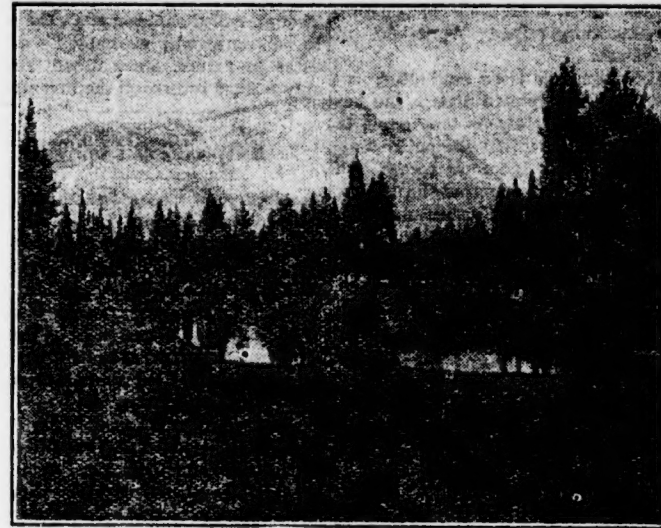
Sir William H. Clark, K.C.S.I., C.M.G., who has just been appointed Great Britain's first high commissioner to Canada, commenced his career in the public service as a clerk in the board of trade department of the government in 1899.

New Golf Course At The Banff Springs Will Be Unique Among The Golf Courses of the World

Canada will shortly possess one of the finest and most beautiful golf courses in the world. Assisted by an army of skilled workmen Stanley Thompson, of Toronto, the internationally known golf architect, is making rapid progress with the construction of the new championship golf course which is being built for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, at Banff, Alberta, and present indications are that the course will take its place at the top of the list of golf links on this continent whether inland or seaside.

Situated on the roof of the world and surrounded by the most magnifi-

tude of this recent undertaking of the railway. To make the fairways, greens, and tees, vast areas of rock had to be quarried. Rivers, too, had to be bridged and soil brought by the trainload on which to grow the turf. It will be readily understood therefore that the cost will run into a big figure, but the Company will have the compensation of knowing that the construction of this latest championship course will act as a wonderful fillip for Canadian golf links as a whole, as thousands of the best known golfers of the world will be drawn to this golf course perched as it is betwixt the skies. The greens are be-



A view of a completed portion of the links set in wonderful surroundings under the guardianship of the mighty snow-capped mountains.

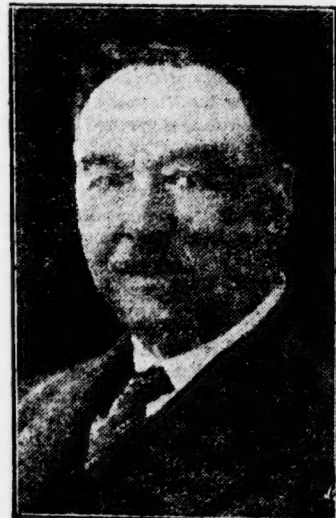
cent mountain scenery imaginable, the Banff Springs will be unique among the golf courses of the world. It will be of full championship length, the plans calling for a yardage of 6,640. There will also be two other sets of tees with a respective yardage of 6,315 and 6,045. These tees will be of grass and will be in play the whole time, the bunkering having been so carefully worked out that each set of tees presents practically a different course. The fairways, too, will be doubly wide, there being two distinct routes to each hole.

Noted golfers, who have viewed the construction work have been astounded with the thoroughness and magni-

ing built along the lines of the famous "Langara" green at South Vancouver. They will be extra large and will be sown throughout with creeping bent grass.

Contrary to what one would expect in the mountains, there will be very little climbing to be done, in fact the grades will be easier than on most courses. Nine holes of the new course will be open for play during the present season. Combined with nine holes of the old course this will mean that visitors this year will be able to enjoy a full round of eighteen holes amidst perfect surroundings. Early in May, 1929, the new championship course will be thrown open.

VETERAN RETIRES



W. A. Brown, General Superintendent of the Canadian National Railways, Edmonton, who, after 50 years of continuous railway service in Canada, retired on superannuation on May 1. In point of active service Mr. Brown is the oldest railwayman in Canada, west of the Great Lakes. He was railroading when there was no steel laid west of Portage la Prairie. He has been General Superintendent at Edmonton since 1911.

Mr. Brown is succeeded by W. R. Devenish, formerly General Superintendent of the Canadian National Railways at North Bay, Ontario.

Exported Carload Of Honey

For the first time in the history of bee-keeping in British Columbia, one bee-keeper in the Okanagan Valley has exported a full carload of honey from his own hives. His 250 colonies gave him an average of 175 pounds of honey per colony.

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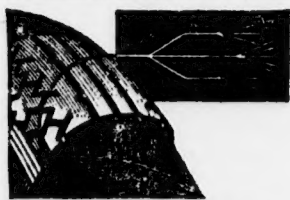
It was at Fort Simpson, in November, on his way out, that Jack Doran heard of the war. They had floated down the Nehanni River on a moose-skin barge to the Liard, and down the Liard to the MacKenzie on a spruce scow, arriving in Fort Simpson one raw November day when an icy wind from the North gave warning of the freeze-up. They had brought with them a few furs, which George, the half-breed guide, had got with his trap-lines, and from the sale of these they hoped to be able to buy supplies for the home journey.

Their summer had been full of adventure. They had seen the leaves come on the trees, the flowers bud, bloom and fade, the leaves fall, and now the lowering clouds of November driven by the cold winds; but with their bags full of gold quartz to show what they had found, and their little heap of dust carried in chamols bags and glass phials, they were elated and confident.

Jack, with all the eagerness of the amateur, had been full of enthusiasm going in, and in the washing of gold from the sand of the river he had enjoyed endless delight. To see the glint of yellow gold in the black sands at the bottom of a pan fired his imagination. Keith had complimented him on his success in panning.

"She's gettin' better all the time," Keith had said, "so we are gettin' closer to the deposits." He had a map of the country showing the exact spot where the claims would be staked. "You'll have some nuggets to bring home to that new wife of yours that will make her eyes pop out of her head."

It was in September they reached the place, and Keith announced the object of their search achieved. They staked their claims and gathered



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some rich pieces of quartz to bring back with them. Keith was exultant, and even George, the half-breed, grew garrulous with the prospect of riches. He was going to have three cars and a colored driver in a gray uniform!

Keith had the plan for mining all arranged. He showed them where the sluices would be placed, drawing a diagram to show the angle at which they would be set and how the riffles would be put in the bottom. He would bring the water in a pipe-line from farther up the river, and throw it against the banks of gravel in powerful jets. At the falls, up the river he would generate the electricity to run a stamp mill, where the crushed rock would be reduced to powder and passed through a sieve, and the gold collected on copper plates. "You'll see a bigger trek to this field than there was in ninety-eight," he assured his eager listeners.

The return journey, lacking the stimulus of novelty which had kept them from discouragement going in was toilsome and depressing. Their way lay through a gloomy, barren country, and the weather was cold and wet. The shortening days and lengthening nights, too, were unfavorable to travelling. But at length, ragged, unkempt, unshaven and dirty, they arrived in Fort Simpson just before the freeze-up.

The good-natured proprietor of the store bought their furs outfitted them, giving them the news of the war as the transactions went on. "I wish I was younger, and I'd be off," he said, "I'd like to do a bit of fightin' before my time comes to step off." "What is it all about?" Jack asked, as he tried on a pair of long boots. "Well, I'm not clear on that, but sure it's a poor war that ain't better than no war, and you see war has to come once in a while to clear out the surplus population. We breed too fast—ain't that the truth?—so it's either pestilence, war, or famine, and war's a lot more fun than the other two!"

Jack looked at him indignantly. "How many children have you?" he asked. He had noticed several little half-breeds around the store, moccasined, noseless, beady-eyed, looking inquiringly at the strangers. The storekeeper did not resent the question at all. "I think there are six boys big enough to go," he said. Three of them are out on the trap-lines and haven't heard about it yet, but the other three are going out. Their mother is cuttin' up a little, but she'll calm down; she's a good woman. We have eight others comin' on. It's a good chance for the boys to see the world."

The war did not relate itself in any way to Jack Doran until he arrived at Peace River. He had one consuming thought in his mind now, and only one, and that was to get to Eagle Mines as soon as he could, and to Helmi. He went at once to the telegraph office and sent her a wire. "Mrs. Jack Doran, Eagle Mines: Back safe, expect me in a week. Love, Jack."

Peace River was alive with excitement. Homesteaders walked the streets waiting for the train to take them to Edmonton. There was some delay, owing to trouble on the Judah Hill.

Jack, Keith and George got a room at "The Peace," and soon had the grime of travel washed away, and went to the dining-room for supper. Men in uniform sat at a table, eating noisily and drinking. The room was full of excited talk.

There was a meeting in the hall that night, advertised by a huge red poster in the stores. It said that Major Gowsett and Pts. George Crowe would address the meeting. Pte. Crowe had been wounded at Mons and been invalided to Canada. There were flags in the dining-room, and on the way in that day they had noticed flags flying from the houses and stores, fluttering bravely in the cold wind.

To the hall they went at eight o'clock, and were met at the door by women selling red roses for the Red Cross. A band inside was playing "It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary." To Jack it seemed as though he had come back to a new world, a nervous, panicky, high-strung world, abounding in new phrases, new emotions. Fresh from the solitudes of the North, he could not at once grasp the meaning of it all.

Pte. Crowe, a pale lad, standing with a crutch, spoke first, and spoke simply and well. His superior officer

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had chided him for the mildness of his address at Spirit River the night before. "You've got to put more thunder into it," he said, "these people want color and action. Tell them about the children you saw with their hands cut off."

"But I didn't see any," protested the lad.

"Well, you heard of them—you might have seen them. Speed up a little—lay it on thicker, or you'll never get recruits."

But again the boy told just what he had seen—the mud—the hardships—the indescribable carnage—the comradeship and heroism of his companions of the trenches. There was no hatred, revenge or bitterness in his heart, only a great bewilderment. He appealed on behalf of his comrades—they were so brave, so cheerful and so fine—so willing to die.

Jack's heart was torn with the pity of it. Worst of all was the boy's twitching hands, never still a moment. What horrors that boy must have come through! His lips had quivered as he spoke, like a child's about to cry. "Don't leave those boys alone; send them reinforcements. The more we can send the sooner it will be over." That was the message of the quivering lips, coming from a heart that was clean and brave. He could talk without apology, could Pte. Crowe, he could ask any person to make a sacrifice and not ask them to do more than he had done.

Major Gowsett, who arranged the program, had left himself for the last. In the ordinary affairs of life Major Gowsett believed in being first, but, understanding what he would have called "mob-psychology," he believed the last speaker had the best chance. He began by damning the Germans with great spirit, reviewing their history, military aspirations, and their home life. He showed that they threatened the whole world. Major Gowsett had not been further than Boulogne during the present war, but one would never know it from his speech. It reeked with the stench of battle, it abounded in personal incidents. He dragged his listeners into shell-holes, dug-outs and across "No Man's Land;" he specialized on the treachery of the Germans—the hatefulness of their women—the bitter hatred they had instilled into their children. He had lived with them, he said, and he knew. It seemed that he and Lord Roberts knew the war was coming, but England had not listened to them.

(To Be Continued.)

Speed Up Construction

German Contractors Use Furnace On Wheels To Dry Walls

Homes and apartments are so scarce in Berlin, Germany, that architects and constructors think up every conceivable device for hastening the process.

Their latest quick service help consists of a furnace on wheels which is calculated to hasten the drying process in buildings under construction. It is placed outside the house or apartment building, and furnace pipes are laid from it into the room to be dried. The heat is conducted just as though a hot air furnace were in operation in the basement.

In this way, it is estimated, construction is hastened by many days, as the painters and decorators can get busy much earlier.

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Minard's Lintment for Toothache.

Teeth and Health

Issued By The Canadian Dental Hygiene Council and Published By The Saskatchewan Dental Society

CHILDHOOD DISEASES AFFECTING TEETH

It occasionally happens that teeth erupt faulty in shape or with the enamel pitted and stained, and you wonder what has caused it.

Now a very probable source of this trouble is a general disturbance from some constitutional disease associated with high temperatures, such as, scarlet fever, measles, or chicken pox.

Occasionally this disturbance is so great as to totally destroy the tooth germ, but more often it merely affects the tooth structure as described above.

But there are two general diseases that, in particular affect tooth structure and tooth eruption.

Of these rickets is a disease of faulty nutrition and it is worthy of note that it is a disease not only of the very poor who are denied proper and sufficient food, but of the rich, who have an abundance of food but of an improper kind.

The characteristic affections of the teeth from rickets are these; the deciduous teeth erupt late and, in the more extreme cases, there is a general deformity of the skull and jaws; moreover, these teeth are lost early, whilst the permanent teeth in turn erupt late; the result is, faulty or mal-occlusion. Moreover, the teeth themselves are structurally affected, being bluish, sparse and somewhat tapering.

The other disease, more or less specifically related to tooth mal-formation is tuberculosis.

A child suffering from tuberculosis will erupt both the deciduous and permanent teeth early; but the root of the deciduous tooth is not absorbed as it should be, with the resultant mal-position of the succeeding permanent teeth.

It is perhaps easier to understand why these diseases should injuriously affect tooth structure as they do, when you remember that the teeth are in the formative stage through early childhood, and hence are readily liable to influences of a disturbing nature.

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Sand and Gravel Pits In Canada

Natural deposits of sands and gravels occur in all provinces of Canada, and as a consequence of this wide distribution, the low value of these materials, and the ubiquitous demand chiefly for filling and structural purposes, there are a very large number of pits operated in Canada.



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Little Helps For This Week

"Cast thy bread upon the waters; for thou shalt find it after many days."—Ecclesi. xi. 1

Oh, if the selfish knew how much they lost! What would they not endeavor, not endure,

To imitate, as far as in them lay, Him who His wisdom and His powers employ In making others happy?

—William Cowper.

The most delicate and the most sensible of all pleasures consists in promoting the pleasures of others.

—La Bruyere.

Happiness is not perfected until it is shared.—Jane Porter.

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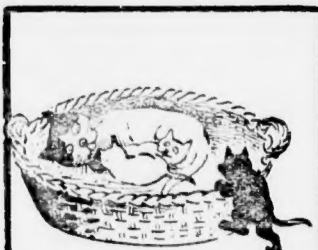
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metery road East.The Annual Golf Tournament
will be held in Carbon on Thurs-
day, May 24. Visitors are expect-
ed from Drumheller, Wayne, Irri-
cana, Rockyford, Three Hills and
Trochu.Harley Willson has purchased a
new Chevrolet Sedan.D. G. Code is having a cement
foundation put under his imple-
ment building and an addition is
to be made so that when the new part
is finished the building will be 24x
80 in size and will be capable of
handling the increased business that
Dan is experiencing this year.Alex Reid has installed a gaso-
line pump in front of his office.
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pump that has been placed in the
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will have enough pumps to take
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of the said Mary Hempseed, who
died on the 2nd day of April, A.D.
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June, A.D. 1928, a full statement,
duly verified of their claim and of
any security held by them and
after that date, the Executors of
her Will will distribute the assets
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